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In re Applications for Consent
to the Transfer of Control of Licenses
and Section 214 Authorizations from
Ameritech Corporation, Transferor, to
SBC Communications Inc., Transferee

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**APPLICANTS' ADDITIONAL STATEMENT REGARDING THE
RAINBOW/PUSH COALITION'S MOTION FOR AN EXTENSION OF TIME**

On October 15, 1998, the Rainbow/PUSH Coalition ("Coalition") filed a motion for an extension of time to allow it an additional 30 days within which "to file a pleading in this proceeding." On October 16, 1998, SBC Communications Inc. and Ameritech Corporation ("Applicants") filed a response in which they stated they have "no objection" to the Coalition's motion for a 30 day extension of time to file "comments" with respect to the proposed merger.

In light of questions which have been raised regarding the Applicants' response, we wish to clarify that: (1) by stating that we have "no objection" to the Coalition's motion, we also intended to express our consent to the motion; and (2) our reference to the Coalition filing "comments" was not intended to limit the nature of any "pleading"

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which may be filed by the Coalition. Indeed, the Applicants consent to the filing of any pleading by the Coalition at the end of the 30 day extension of time requested by the Coalition.

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